



## CITY OF LODI COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**AGENDA TITLE:** Approve Specifications and Authorize Advertisement for Bids for 6,000 Feet of Underground Cable

**MEETING DATE:** August 17, 2011

**PREPARED BY:** Electric Utility Director

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**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approve specifications and authorize advertisement for bids for 6,000 feet of underground cable.


**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** The 1100kCMIL 15kV underground cable is a standard component of the City of Lodi Electric Utility for trunk feeder and substation getaway power networks. It will be used as a minimum stock level for replacement of the existing trunk feeders and substation getaways in the electrical distribution system.

The current inventory level is under the recommended minimum level. The last procurement for this cable was made on April 2008.

In order to fill the minimum stock level, staff recommends purchasing the 6,000 feet of this underground cable.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Estimated cost is \$65,000.

**FUNDING:** Included in FY 2011/12 Budget Account No. 160.1496.


  
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**APPROVED:**

  
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